

July 19, 2007

Michael J. Frevola Holland & Knight LLP 195 Broadway New York, New 10007

Dear Mr. Frevola:

Re: Writ of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment

Against: UBS Provedores Pty Ltd, aka USB-USS International

Court Index No. 07 cv 5798

This will confirm our recent telephone conversation where we advised you that HSBC Bank USA, N.A. has captured a wire payment originating from UBS Provedores Pty Ltd in response to the captioned Writ of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment. You directed HSBC Bank USA, N.A. to hold this payment. The payment in the amount of \$68,885.12 is being held until further notice from you.

If I can be of further assistance, please contact me at (716) 841-2639.

Sincerery,

John Cyna

Legal Assistant

Legal Processing Department

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July 25, 2007

### VIA E-mail

NR BARBI Solicitor 15/900 Brunswick Street New Farm Qld 4005 Australia

Att: Adrian Dore, Esq.

Re:

Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS v. UBS Proyedores Pty Ltd.

SDNY Docket #: 07 Civ. 5798 (CM)

Our File: 500177-03213

Dear Sirs:

We are counsel for plaintiff Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS ("Wilhelmsen") in the referenced matter. It is our understanding that you are Australian counsel for UBS Provedores Pty Ltd. ("UBS"), the defendant in the referenced matter. If you are not counsel for UBS, please advise us accordingly and we will send this correspondence directly to UBS.

We write to advise that Wilhelmsen has attached the approximate sum of \$68,000 frozen by HSBC on July 19, 2007, the amount of \$68,865.12 frozen by JPMorgan Chase on July 20, 2007, and the amounts of \$29,610.37 and \$275,399.86 frozen by JPMorgan Chase on July 23, 2007. We attach copies of the notices we have received concerning the JPMorgan Chase attachments; we have not yet received correspondence from HSBC regarding the exact amount of that attachment.

The attachment of these funds was effected in connection with the above-referenced matter, which involves a claim by Wilhelmsen for fuel/bunkers purchased by UBS. We enclose a copy of the Summons, Verified Complaint, Order of Attachment and Writ of Attachment for your reference.

Should UBS not appear in the above-referenced proceeding, we will seek a default against UBS and execute on the attached funds.

Very truly yours,

HOLLAND & KNIGHT LLP

Michael J. Frevola

Via E-mail cc:

> Carl Buchholz, Esq. Rawle & Henderson, LLP

Counsel for JPMorgan Chase Bank

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## Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)

From: Jeanne-Marie Van Hemmen [jvanhemmen@bvgklaw.com]

Sent: Monday, September 10, 2007 1:13 PM

To: Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)

Subject: Re: Wilhelmsen v. UBS

Dear Mike,

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Also please confirm that the only funds seized as of this date pursuant to the UBS attachment are the following;

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Thanks for your assistance.

Regards,

Jeanne-Marie Van Hemmen

---- Original Message -----

From: michael.frevola@hklaw.com
To: jvanhemmen@bvgklaw.com

Sent: Thursday, September 06, 2007 2:04 PM

Subject: Wilhelmsen v. UBS

Dear Jeanne-Marie:

As requested, I attach the Amended Complaint, Exhibits, and the Amended Writ.

I look forward to seeing you tomorrow.

Best regards,

Mike Frevola

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## Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)

From: Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)

Sent: Monday, September 10, 2007 1:51 PM

To: X-Betancourt, Van Hemmen, Greco & Kenyon - Van Hemmen, J M

Subject: RE: Wilhelmsen v. UBS

Dear Jeanne-Marie:

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Subject: RE: Wilhelmsen v. UBS

Dear Jeanne-Marie:

John Cyna at HSBC advised me that the HSBC attachment was originated by UBS for the benefit of Australia Bunkering. He may have mixed up the details, but that is the order of the transaction as explained to me (and read back to him by me).

Best regards,

Mike

## Michael J. Frevola, Esq.

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Sent: Monday, September 10, 2007 2:47 PM

**To:** Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516) **Subject:** Re: Wilhelmsen v. UBS

Mike,

Please confirm that the HSBC attachment was from a third party for the benefit of UBS.

B/rgards,

Jeanne-Marie

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From: michael.frevola@hklaw.com
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Sent: Monday, September 10, 2007 1:55 PM

Subject: RE: Wilhelmsen v. UBS

You're welcome.

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Thanks for the clarification.

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From: Jeanne-Marie Van Hemmen [jvanhemmen@bvgklaw.com]

Sent: Friday, September 14, 2007 2:58 PM

Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)

Subject: Re: Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS v. UBS Provedores Pty Ltd., 07-5798 PMAG -- amended writ

Hi Mike

To:

If you could send those telephone numbers and contact info when you have a moment, I would appreciate it.

Thanks.

Jeanne-Marie

---- Original Message -----

From: michael.frevola@hklaw.com To: jvanhemmen@bvgklaw.com

Sent: Tuesday, September 11, 2007 5:08 PM

Subject: FW: Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS v. UBS Provedores Pty Ltd., 07-5798 PMAG -- amended writ

Dear Jeanne-Marie:

Lattach below a notice from Citibank of another small amount attached (\$2,619.67) that we received earlier this afternoon.

Best regards.

Mike

#### Michael J. Frevola, Esq.

Holland & Knight LLP

From: Corner, Rodd [mailto:rodd.corner@citi.com] Sent: Tuesday, September 11, 2007 3:24 PM

To: Green, Rudy (NYC - X73591); Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516); Honan, Bill (NYC - X73300)

Subject: RE: Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS v. UBS Provedores Pty Ltd., 07-5798 PMAG -- amended writ

Importance: High

Please be advised that Citibank has received a payment for the benefit of USS-UBS International in the amount of \$2619.67 (\$2,644.67 minus \$25 fee). We will continue to hold this payment until further notice from you.

NOTE TO FTN UNIT: Please continue to hold this payment....thanks, Rodd

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Rodd Corner Citi Office of the General Counsel 388 Greenwich St, 17th Floor New York, NY 10013 Tel: 212-816-3049

Fax: 646-291-1533

----Original Message-----

From: rudy.green@hklaw.com [mailto:rudy.green@hklaw.com]

Sent: Monday, September 10, 2007 9:00 AM

**To:** Diana.Serna@us.fortis.com; aebpmag@zeklaw.com; Mihalik, Mary B [CMB-GCO]; jennifer.paley@ubs.com; maritime.attachments@wachovia.com; reisert@navlaw.com; johanna.vargas@us.standardchartered.com; lynne.britt@us.fortis.com; lauren.maier@us.fortis.com; lpiechocki@mw-law.com; john.bardakjy@sgcib.com; joneill@cbkna.com; acole@cbkna.com.; pmag@zeklaw.com; pmag@americas.bnpparibas.com; nmorton@btmna.com; yroman@us.mufg.jp; yholland@us.mufg.jp; mildred.cuevas@leumiusa.com; carlos.cabrales@leumiusa.com; errickf@bpop.com; tdaniels@cbkna.com.; Corner, Rodd [CMB-GCO]

Subject: Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS v. UBS Provedores Pty Ltd., 07-5798 PMAG -- amended writ

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### Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

Attached are copies of the following documents:

- 1. Amended Writ of Attachment and Garnishment;
- 2. Order for Issuance of an amended Writ of Attachment and Garnishment;

It is our understanding that you will accept service of the above documents by email after the initial service. If you have any questions, please contact me at (212) 513-3591.

Best regards,

- Rudy Green

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#### Rudy D. Green

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From: Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)
Sent: Friday, September 14, 2007 4:11 PM

To: X-Betancourt, Van Hemmen, Greco & Kenyon - Van Hemmen, J M

Subject: FW: Mary B. Mihalik

Attachments: Mary B Mihalik.vcf; Barry J Glickman.vcf; Ying Wang.vcf; Patricia McElveen.vcf

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Dear Jeanne-Marie:

Sorry for the delay.

You may recall seeing a notice letter from Rawle & Henderson in the notices that I passed to you. They represent JPMorgan Chase and (if I recall correctly) Bank of New York.

Barry Glickman (v-card below) represents Bank of America and Amex, and may have a few others.

Mary Mihalik is Citibank.

Ying Wang is Bank of China.

Patricia McElveen is ABNAmro.

More to follow.

Best regards,

Mike

### Michael J. Frevola, Esq.

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Sent: Friday, September 14, 2007 5:02 PM

To: X-Betancourt, Van Hemmen, Greco & Kenyon - Van Hemmen, J M

Subject: Wilhelmsen/UBS -- More Banks

Attachments: John Cyna.vcf; Johanna Vargas.vcf; Yvonne Falconer.vcf; Nancy Morton.vcf; Paula Pena.vcf

Jeanne-Marie:

John Cyna is HSBC.

Yvonne Falconer is Deutsche Bank.

Nancy Morton is BOT-M UFJ.

Paula Pena and Johanna Vargas are Standard Chartered.

Wachovia is represented by the firm that put in an interrogatory response/answer (on which I previously copied you).

Societe Generale is represented by Rich Reisert (see SocGen's answer on the docket).

This e-mail and the previous one encompasses about 14 of the 20 or so banks that we serve and all of the ones that we usually get hits from. Please let me know if you have any further questions.

Best regards, Mike Frevola

### Michael J. Frevola, Esq.

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Yvonne Falconer.vcf (311 B)

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Sent: Friday, September 14, 2007 3:34 PM

To: Norberto.B.Bonga@jpmchase.com; Johnette.Reid@jpmchase.com; teresa.j.goldberg@chase.com

Cc: cbuckholz@rawle.com; lphiliposian@rawle.com; Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)

Subject: Wilhelmsen Premier Fuels v. UBS Provedores Pty Ltd, SDNY: 07-5798

Dear Mssrs Bonga, Reid and Goldberg,

We are attorneys representing UBS Provedores Pty Ltd and Raecorp. International in the referenced matter. We understand JP Morgan Chase garnished a number of funds transferred through the bank since July, 2007.

We require a statement of all the funds garnished to date in connection with UBS' and Raecorp's emergent application with the Court that will be filed on Monday, September 17, 2007. We attempted to reach your attorneys at Rawle Henderson in connection with our request but have not had success reaching them. Given the time constraints, we felt compelled to reach out directly to you. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated. My telephone number is (732) 530-4646 should you have any questions.

Very Truly Yours,

Betancourt, Van Hemmen, Greco & Kenyon

By Jeanne-Marie Van Hemmen

USDS SDNY

AUSTRALIA BUNKERING PTY LTD.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

UBS PROVEDORES PTY LTD. a/k/a USS-UBS INTERNATIONAL and RAECORP. INTERNATIONAL PTY LTD.,

07 CIV 9412

ORDER FOR ISSUANCE OF AN AMENDED WRIT OF ATTACHMENT AND GARNISHMENT

Defendants.	,	
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UPON reading the Verified Complaint, for issuance of process of maritime attachment and garnishment pursuant to Rule B of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure ("Supplemental Rule B"), and the affidavits and papers submitted in support thereof, and the Court finding that the conditions for an action under Supplemental Rule B appear to exist;

NOW, upon motion of Peckar & Abramson, P.C., attorneys for plaintiff, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Clerk issue process of attachment and garnishment pursuant to Supplemental Rule B as prayed for in the Amended Verified Complaint in the amount of \$1,544,460.16 against all goods, chattel, credits, letters of credit, bills of lading, debts, effects and monies, funds, credits, wire transfers, accounts, electronic fund transfers, freights, subfreights, charter hire, sub-charter hire, or any other tangible or intangible property belonging to, claimed by, being held for or on behalf of, or being transferred for the benefit of UBS Provedores Pty Ltd. and/or USS-UBS International and/or Raecorp. International Pty Ltd., by any garnishee within this district, including, *inter alia*, funds or account held in the names of UBS Provedores Pty Ltd. and/or USS-UBS International and/or Raecorp. International Pty Ltd. with the following financial institutions:

Bank of America, N.A.

The Bank of New York

Citibank N.A.

Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas

HSBC Bank USA, N.A.

JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.

UBS AG Wachovia Bank, N.A.

Societe Generale

Standard Chartered Bank

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Calyon Investment Bank

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and it is further

ORDERED that said Order will be equally applicable to any other garnishees upon whom a copy of the Process of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment may be served, in an amount up to and including 1,544,406.16, pursuant to Supplemental Rule B; and it is further

ORDERED that any persons claiming an interest in the property attached or garnished pursuant to this Order and the process of maritime attachment and garnishment shall, upon application to this Court, be entitled to a prompt hearing at which plaintiff shall be required to

show why the attachment and garnishment should not be vacated or other relief granted; and it is further

ORDERED that supplemental process enforcing this Court's Order may be issued by the Clerk upon application without further Order of the Court; and it is further

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**ORDERED** pursuant to Rule 4(c)(1) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure that the writs of attachment and garnishment may be served by any person, who is not less than 18 years of age, and who is not a party to this action.

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### MESSAGE:

Re: Writ of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment Against UBS Provedores Pty Ltd, aka USB-USS International Court Index No. 07 cv 5798

#### Dear John,

Further to our telephone conversation of this morning, I attach a copy of the Consent Order issued by Judge McMahon in the referenced matter which disposes of the attached funds and directs payment to Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS.

Please let me know if you have any questions, and I would appreciate it if you could advise when the funds have been forwarded to Wilhelmsen.

Mike Frevola

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

WILHELMSEN PREMIER MARINE FUELS AS.

Plaintiff,

-against-

UBS PROVEDORES PTY LTD. a/k/a
USS-UBS INTERNATIONAL and
RAECORP INTERNATIONAL PTY LTD.,

Defendants.

07 Civ. 5798 (CM)

CONSENT ORDER

WHEREAS, on or about June 19, 2007, Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS ("Plaintiff") filed this action against UBS Provedores Pty Ltd. a/k/a USS-UBS International ("UBS"), and obtained the issuance of a Writ of Attachment and Garnishment and an Order for Issuance of a Writ of Attachment and Garnishment dated on or about June 28, 2007; and

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in this district; and

WHEREAS, Plaintiff has attached funds that were being routed from or to accounts held by

UBS in the collective sum of \$1,108,544.50 (the "Security"), which Security presently is in the

possession of the following garnishees: (1) the amounts of \$210,795.94, \$289,378.30, \$2,619.67

and \$93,625.00 with Citibank, N.A.; (2) the amounts of \$275,399.86, \$68,865.12, \$68,865.12

and \$29,610.37 with JPMorgan Chase; (3) the amount of \$68,885.12 with HSBC Bank USA,

N.A., and (4) the amounts of \$300.00 and \$200.00 at Wachovia Bank, N.A.; and

WHEREAS, the Plaintiff and the Defendants have agreed to settle Plaintiff's claims;

NOW, pursuant to the subjoined consent of the attorneys for Plaintiff and Defendants, it is:

ORDERED that the entirety of the Security is to released and wired to the following account

of Plaintiffs:

Bank Name: Nordea Bank, London

Swift: NDEAGB2L

IBAN Number: GB10NDEA40487859955102

Account Number: 59955102

Beneficiary Name: Wilhelmsen Premier Marine Fuels AS

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Dated:

October 19, 2007

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To: X-Betancourt, Van Hemmen, Greco & Kenyon - Van Hemmen, J M

Subject: RE: 20071636 B - Arbitration no 7962

Dear Jeanne-Marie:

OK. Sounds reasonable to me.

On the Initial Payment side, I have to confirm exact numbers with Wilhelmsen through Nordea London but I'm pretty sure that we have gotten everything but the \$68K from HSBC (the numbers match up that way). I spoke to HSBC a little earlier and I just resent my fax of last Wednesday attaching the Consent Order. HSBC confirmed that they still have the \$68K, so that also leads me to believe that this is the sole remaining amount outstanding.

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Sent: Monday, January 07, 2008 3:47 PM
To: Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)

Subject: Wilhelmsen

Dear Michael.

I hope you had fun holidays, and I wish you a happy New Year.

It appears UBS timely furnished the Second Payment to Wilhelmsen, pursuant to the Settlement Agreement. However, I have not seen any evidence of Wilhelmsen's compliance with its obligation to submit an order to the SDNY discontinuing its lawsuit with prejudice and and vacating the attachment. Nor does it appear Wilhelmsen's arbitration demand was vacated. Please confirm my understanding that these steps have not been taken yet by Wilhelmsen. Let me know if there is any reason for Wilhelmsen's noncompliance, other than the fact I did not demand action sooner.

regards,

Jeanne-Marie Van Hemmen

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# Frevola, Michael (NYC - X73516)

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To: X-Betancourt, Van Hemmen, Greco & Kenvon - Van Hemmen, J M.

Subject: Wilhelmsen/UBS

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Dear Michael,

I just returned to the office and received your response to my emails and telephone calls. As you are probably aware already, I submitted the order dismissing the case to the Court myself when you did not return my emails and phone calls as promised vesterday.

Dismissal of the case is required by the terms of the settlement agreement. UBS' obligations precedent to Wilhelmsen's dismissal of the case have been satisfied. UBS submitted the consent order directing the attached funds to be paid to Wilhelmsen and made the Second Payment. Wilhelmsen is obligated by the settlement agreement to now dismiss its case with prejudice. The bank error, of which you only informed me today, was Wilhelmsen's risk. UBS has no obligation to pay Wilhelmsen additional funds beyond the Second Payment (and, of course, funds recovered from the government, should that occur).

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